

SENATE BILL 252

By Haynes

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50,
Chapter 1, relative to forfeiture of the proceeds
from work done by illegal aliens.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50, Chapter 1, Part 1, is amended by
adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

§ 50-1-106.

(a) It is an offense for any individual who has illegally entered the United States
to knowingly receive compensation for performing work in this state, unless granted an
exemption by the United States department of labor pursuant to its rulemaking authority.

(b) A violation of this section is a Class B misdemeanor.

(c) All property, real or personal, including money derived from or realized
through conduct in violation of this section, shall be subject to seizure, confiscation and
forfeiture in accordance with the forfeiture provisions codified in title 39, chapter 11, part
7.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.